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EASTERN DATES TO DECEMBER 25

Washington News

An order was issued to day by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue Delano to the United States Collector at Chicago directing him to suspend the collection of the tax on pork packers assessed under section 4 of the act of March 31st 1869 until otherwise ordered. The order will be extended to the whole country.

The Post Office Department is sending circulars to all postmasters of the United States ordering them to make accurate monthly reports of all franked free matter deposited in their offices for mailing for the period of six months commencing January 1st 1870.

The President will not receive visitors during the holidays except such public officers as may have business requiring his attention.

Thomas Nation Gen Sickles as Minister to Spain has not been reported from the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The committee of Ways and Means have been charged in various quarters with extravagance since the last session of Congress while in the investigation of various places during the recess of Congress but it appears that on final settlement of their accounts the whole amount drawn from the contingent fund for which they have filed vouchers, covering all expenses, including their clerk and stenographer, is $5,772 only, instead of the alleged $50 000.

New York News

New York, Dec 24.—Hugh Riddle, formerly Superintendent of the Eastern Division of the Erie railroad has been appointed General Superintendant of the Chicago Rock Island and Pacific Railroad.

Deputy Sheriff Jackson who murdered Archibald Douglas in Washington street some time ago, has been indicted for murder in the first degree the previous indictment for manslaughter having been overruled.

New York Dec 24.—Engineers are surveying a route for a new railroad to connect Pemberton with the Camden and Amboy railroad when the distance between New York and Philadelphia will be reduced to two and a half hours' time.

Speaker Blaine left this city yesterday for his home in Maine.

Ole Bull arrived from Europe yesterday.

The newly appointed Consul for Jamaica sailed yesterday with his family.

Carter M. Jackson charged with the felonious possession of United States bonds was yesterday held by Justice Logan to await the action of the Grand Jury and his bail was fixed at $25,000. Jerome Bradley was remanded in default of $500 000 bail, to answer the charge of forgery, as well as larceny of bonds. These cases excite much attention and rich developments are expected from the trial.

New York, Dec 24.—In June 1868, a man signing his name as H. Sam Bright, of Huntsville, Indiana, sent an order to Mervin & Bray, of this city, for a box of pistols. As the people of Huntsville favored the Union cause they found it necessary to go armed because of the persecution by the rebels and ordered the pistols, which were sent by the American Express to the care of the Provost Marshal, the bill to be collected on delivery. No one called for the box, and when it was opened it was found to be filled with bricks and straw. Bray sued the company for the value of the fire arms and yesterday secured a judgment.

New York, Dec. 24.—The Council of the Union League of America have adopted a preamble and resolutions affirming in strong terms the indebtedness of the whole country to disabled volunteers, and families of those who fell during the late war, approving the proposition before Congress of paying pensions monthly instead of semi annually. A committee was appointed to go to Washington to urge the speedy passage of the measure.

New York, Dec 25.—A large tea warehouse on Front street, belonging to Merritt & Robinson was burned last night. Loss, $50,000.

A young lady returning from a Christmas Eve party last night, was instantly dashed to pieces, on the New Haven Railroad, near Harlem, while crossing the track.

Sixteen disabled soldiers were turned out penniless from the Brooklyn Poor House yesterday, because, as stated by the superintendent, they are Republicans. They are all cripples.

Deputy Sheriff Jenkins was brought up for trial, yesterday, for the murder of Douglass, and plead not guilty. He was remanded for trial.

William A. Forman is arrested charged with converting to his own use $150 000 in bonds of the Memphis and El Paso Pacific Railroad, of which he was assistant treasurer in Paris. The order for arrest was on civil suit to recover the money. A motion was made before the Court of Common Pleas to vacate the order of arrest because the cause of action arose in Paris between two non residents. The decision in the case was reserved.

New York, Dec 26.—The last of the Spanish gunboats sailed yesterday.

Brigham Young, Jr., did not address the Germans at Williamsville yesterday, as advertised having been called to Philadelphia to persuade his third wife, who has left him, to return to his seraglio. She refuses however.

Rev Henry Ward Beecher eulogized E. M. Stanton in his discourse at Plymouth Church yesterday.

In many churches yesterday, sermons were preached urging abstinence from intoxicating beverages on New Year's day.

The new chapel of the Seventh Avenue M. E. Church, Brooklyn was dedicated yesterday. The building and furniture cost about $40,000.

At St. James' church yesterday, the evergreens and decorations caught fire, which caused a panic in the congregation.

Gen Frank Blair has [illegible] himself with a prominent Insurance Company in this city and it is probable he will soon establish his residence here.

A number of prominent citizens left for Washington to attend the funeral of Stanton.

A case has come to light where an agent of a prominent South American Republic who was deputed to come to this country to purchase gunboats has been swindled out of nearly one million by a pretended ship broker.

Storm—Affray—Arrests—Suicides Etc

Buffalo Dec 23. A heavy southeast gale and snow storm are prevailing. Several hundred feet of the Niagara Falls Branch Central Railway was washed away, and other damage done on both sides of the river. The water is higher than known before in thirty years.

Troy, Dec 23.—Yesterday afternoon John A. Creasser, a one armed soldier, attacked John Reardon with a knife inflicting no less than thirteen wounds. Alleged criminal intimacy between Reardon and Creasser's wife was the cause of the assault. Reardon will die and Creasser is lodged in jail.

Toronto, Dec 23.—F. Warren deputy United States Marshal of Boston arrived here yesterday and arrested John O. Robinson on the charge of incendiarism committed at Summerville Massachusetts. The accused was arrested under the extradition treaty.

It is reported that Swingara has resigned his position as Superintendent of the Great Western Railroad and that W. K. Muir, of the Michigan Central Railroad has been appointed to succeed him.

New York Dec 23. Dr. Koy the Hackensack wife murderer hung himself in his cell last night.

West Point Dec 3. Two men, supposed to connected with a gang of burglars now operating along the Hudson were arrested last night and held in custody by the military authorities.

World's Fair Frauds Discovered

St Louis Dec 24.—A meeting of citizens was held to night to take preliminary steps in the matter of holding a World's Fair at St. Louis in 1872. A committee was appointed to consider the subject and report a plan of action to an adjourned meeting. One has already the proper grounds and all required means without asking aid from Congress as has been done elsewhere.

Ninety hogsheads of sugar were seized here yesterday in the hands of innocent parties for the non payment of duties.

Montreal Dec 23. The News alleges that enormous frauds have been committed recently in a private bonded warehouse at Montreal by the combination of officials and it calls upon the Minister of Finance to cause a thorough investigation.

Texas Election—Vessel Lost—Criminal Sentenced

A telegram from Governor Pease, dated Austin Texas says Davis for Governor has 400 abodes exclusive of the counties of Milan and Navarro which is allowed would elect Hamilton. Returns from the counties in the south of the district as its registration was not completed. In Milan the election was disturbed and therefore not completed. General Reynolds has ordered elections in these counties but has referred the question of counting votes to the President who as yet has received no communication from Reynolds on the subject.

New York Dec 23. A private dispatch reports the American yacht *Meteor* was lost in the Mediterranean. No lives lost.

Two policemen who robbed a Kentuckian here some time ago were to day sentenced to five years in the State Prison.

Death of Edwin M. Stanton

Chicago Dec 24.—Private despatches from Washington say Edwin M. Stanton died this morning. No particulars given.

Political

New York Dec 24.—Mayor Hall and other magnates of Tammany are making preparations for the election of the Central Democratic Committee. A private circular yesterday resulted in the recommendation that a call be issued next week for primaries.

Decision Affecting National Allegiance

Surrogate Tucker yesterday decided that a permanent residence in a foreign country with a declared but unexecuted intention of becoming a citizen of that country, will not operate as a renunciation of allegiance of citizenship by citizens of the United States until they actually become citizens of another country.

Indian Affairs.

St Louis Dec 25.—Lieut C. L. Speer agent and J. Godfrey interpreter for the Southern Utes Indians deny the recent statement of apprehended trouble with the Utes and Apaches. The Apaches are now on a hunt but do not refuse to live on their reservations. The report to that effect originated in the jealousy of the people of New Mexico, who desired to have the Agency in Colorado broken up and established in New Mexico, that they may secure the benefit arising from Government appropriations. The Utes are peaceable and manifest a desire to cultivate their lands for education and other privileges. They are well provided for and well contented.

West India and South American News

Havana, Dec 23.—The news of the lease of the bay of Samana to the United States caused intense excitement among the people.

The St Domingo revolutionists are making efforts to overthrow Baez before the American Congress can ratify the arrangements for the lease. Baez's troops have taken Cariell Valla and two of Cabral's generals who were captured were immediately executed.

Reports from St. Thomas say the negotiations for the cession of St Thomas and Santa Cruz to the United States have been reopened.

Advices from Hayti to the 9th are received. Salnave now holds only the city of Port au Prince. The revolutionary President, Legal, has informed the foreign representatives at the capital that two war vessels are sealing at St Marks for the purpose of running the blockade and bombarding Port au Prince. Land forces will attack the city simultaneously with the fleet. Salnave has threatened to burn Port au Prince before he will surrender. One dollar of gold is worth four thousand dollars of Haytien currency. The English war steamer *Cherub* brought Salnave's mother and friends from Cape Haytien to Port au Prince.

Advices from Jamaica to the 7th say the Chief Justice refuses to grant a certificate to the Government, declaring the seizure of the schooner *Lubaee* and cargo legitimate or forcible.

Advices from Havana state that a small garrison was left by the United States frigate *Albany* at Samana. Baez holds his position and declares that before he will resign he will annex the island to the United States. The revolutionists are without arms, ammunition or vessels.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The United States steamers *Gertie* and *Albany*, now at New York will be refitted and ordered to rejoin the Atlantic squadron. The *Seminole* is to be ordered to San Domingo on duty.

Coal for the use of the South Atlantic Squadron was sent by the Navy Department to Samana, now in possession of the United States.

Admiral Poor is soon to visit Hayti in his flag ship, to look after the United States interests.

The harbor of Port Royal S. C., has been recommended as a naval rendezvous for the vessels of the North Atlantic Squadron, and probably will be used for that purpose.

Havana, Dec 23.—News from Venezuela is to the 18th. President Monagas has appointed a new ministry and also sent a large number of troops to operate against guerrillas in the State of Valencia. He is making efforts to unite the different political parties.

It is expected that the cotton crop will be very large.

A large fire occurred last night on Prage street which is generally supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

An inflammatory proclamation has been circulated in the city calling on citizens to fly to arms. The insurgents are fighting in the interior. Many houses generally belonging to prominent Cubans, were searched last night by the police and forty well known citizens received peremptory orders to leave for Spain in the Cadiz steamer to day. These orders will probably be followed by the transportation of all suspected or guilty parties of prominence. It is supposed these measures will be the finishing blow to the insurrection. The news from the interior is unfavorable to the insurgents. Many are soliciting pardon, and where they are resisting the troops are slowly but surely driving them back. A battalion of Catalonian volunteers arrived from Spain to day.

Later Haytien advices received say Vyspraze had approached Port au Prince to attack. He notified the foreign Consuls that the blockade of the port will soon be enforced by the ram *Atlanta* daily expected from Philadelphia, and another vessel.

The *Herald* says a duplicate copy of the treaty of annexation with the Republic of San Domingo was brought by General Babcock from President Baez and placed in the hands of President Grant. The steamer *Ascutney* is at the dock to Williamsburg and is not it is said owned by the Cubans.

New York Dec 23.—The Spanish steam frigate *Isabella Catholica* arrived to night with the crews of fourteen gunboats remaining here, which she will convoy to Havana.

Fortress Monroe Dec 23.—The Spanish gunboats came up the Roads this morning and anchored below and went out again.

The Red River Rebellion—Declaration of Independence.

Chicago Dec 25.—The Declaration of Independence by the Provisional Government of Rupert's Land and the Northwest Territory, has been issued. It is signed by John Bruce, President and Louis Reille Secretary. The document is quite voluminous. The preamble recites that when a people have no government they have a right to adopt any form they see fit that the people of Rupert's Land have heretofore respected the authority of the company of adventurers known as the Hudson Bay Company which circumstances placed over them. This government is far from answering the wants of the people and that the company having abandoned them by transferring to a strange power the sacred authority confided to it therefore the people of Rupert's Land and the Northwest Territory become free from allegiance to said government and they refuse to recognize the authority of Canada and by sending back Mr. Dugall and his companions coming in the name of Canada to rule them with the rod of despotism they but acted in conformity with that sacred right which commands every citizen to resist enslavement. They will continue to oppose the establishment of Canadian authority until announced from the proclamation concludes as follows: Furthermore we do declare and proclaim in the name of the people of Rupert's Land and the Northwest Territory that we have established a provisional government and hold it to be the only lawful authority now in existence in Rupert's Land which claims the obedience and respect of the people. Meanwhile we hold ourselves in readiness to enter into such alliance with the Canadian government as may be favorable to good government and the prosperity of the people. In the support of this declaration, relying on the protection of Divine Providence we mutually pledge ourselves on oath with our lives our fortunes and our sacred honor to each other.

The press correspondence states that they offer to treat with the Canadian Government on terms such as the Canadian Government will not be likely to accept. The real programme of the leaders is a far more radical one, but as yet the English speaking portion of the population have no delegation in the council therefore do not announce it but the separation at all hazards they will make if the independence.

Lord Bonnis the Secretary of the Dominion who organized the Hudson Bay Company is [illegible] and ordered the loyal party to cease for hostilities under the appeal to arms.

Murder at Detroit.

Detroit Dec 25. A terrible murder occurred last night. Patrolman Kane was found on the sidewalk with his throat cut from ear to ear. A next door neighbor, Michael Castel was arrested for the crime. They had a night quarrel in a saloon shortly before the murder was committed.

The Spanish Gunboats

New York Dec 2.—Ten more of the Spanish gunboats went by yesterday and will stay in quarantine until the last three which are short of men can join them.

A Steamboat Explosion

A tug boat blew up at Atlantic wharf on Friday. Three men were aboard and two escaped unhurt though the boat was nearly torn to pieces.

Central America.

New York Dec. 25.—The steamer *Arizona* brings Panama dates to the 17th instant. It was reported that Porn had sold the steamer *Bayo* formerly the *R. R. Cuyler*, to the Nicaraguayan Government for $150 000. She still lies at Carthagena, and will require extensive repairs to be serviceable. It is rumored however, that she is intended to prey on Spanish shipping in the Cuban interest.

An attempt at revolution in Bolivia under General Morales has been suppressed.

A fire at Santiago Chili, destroyed most of the great warehouses in that place. Loss heavy.

General Hurlbert the new American Minister at Bogota has been officially received. The speech he made on the occasion alluded favorably to the proposed Darien Canal.

Fires—Reporters Reunion

Philadelphia Dec 25.—The Columbian sugar refinery of Rogers & Mitchell was burned to day. Loss, $220 000; insured for $120 000.

The first annual reunion of the reporters of the Philadelphia press took place at the American House last evening. All the daily papers were represented. The event was a very pleasant one.

A fire broke out on Fourth street above Market about one o'clock yesterday morning, and destroyed property to the value of nearly $200 000. The flames are supposed to have originated in the hardware store of Butler & Thatcher, whose loss is $50 000. The other heavy losers are B. Sutton boot and shoe dealer $20 000. Mossman & Kirk wholesale dealers in carpet yarn, $50, 000, Thomas Carson & Co, notion dealers, stock damaged to the amount of $50,000 other firms lose more or less. Another fire last night destroyed four grain warehouses of Thomas Worley with eight thousand barrels of flour. The loss falls short of $80,000. The fire is still burning and it is feared the adjoining warehouses containing five thousand barrels of whisky and quite a large stock of flour, will also go.

Funeral of Ex-Secretary Stanton

Washington Dec 26.—The funeral of Stanton occurs at 12 o'clock to morrow from his residence in Franklin Square. At the request of the Justices of the Supreme Court concurred in by his family, the arrangements are taken charge of by the War Department, but in accordance with the wishes of the family, there will be no military display. The commission of Stanton as Associate Justice had not been signed at the time of his death but in the course of the day the President signed it and sent the commission to the widow as a mark of respect. A [illegible] of the members of the House of Representatives was held yesterday and adopted appropriate resolutions of respect and condolence and decided to attend the funeral in a body.

Fire & Explosions

New Orleans, Dec 25.—Ellis Cotton Packing House was burned on Friday night. Loss fifty thousand dollars.

The difficulty between the *Republican* and Collector Casy is ended by a compromise. Casey writes to the editor that while there are still some Democrats in the Customhouse, as fast as the interests of the Government will permit and trustworthy ones can be found he will remove them and put Republicans in their place.

Mail Robbery Near Cheyenne

Cheyenne, Dec 26.—Last night two men stopped the Denver stage, fifteen miles from here, containing the driver and two passengers all unarmed. The robbers after firing several shots, took the stage team and mail and drove off leaving the passengers to walk to Cheyenne. Sixty cavalry have gone in pursuit to day.

Mississippi Affairs

Jackson Dec 26.—General Ames has ordered the Legislature to be convened on the 11th of January. The State officers, recently elected are appointed provisional officers until their installation. At [illegible] one fifth of the Legislature elected are conservatives.

Murder in Boston.

Boston Dec 26.—A young rough got into a quarrel with an Irish woman yesterday about five cents and stabbed her in the throat killing her.

Proposed Ocean Cable Treaty

Chicago Dec 26.—A Washington special says the Government has instituted measures to bring about a treaty between all maritime nations on the subject of ocean cables. Instructions on the subject have been sent to our Ministers in France, England, Germany Spain and other countries. The Government asks that no exclusive concessions shall be given to any party that no government shall have the right to examine the telegrams that the cable shall have all the rights of neutrality that their destruction in time of war shall be treated as an act of piracy and that persons engaged in the work of destruction shall be tried as one of any country which may capture him.

Stanton's Probable Successor

Chicago Dec 26.—The death of Stanton has led some to believe that Hoar may now be confirmed as supreme Justice. Their idea is to have Hoar appointed to the Northern Circuit but it is not probable however this will succeed. Pennsylvania will present Judge Strong for the vacancy caused by the death of Stanton.

Kansas Bay Treaty

Chicago, Dec 26.—The Kansas Bay treaty will be ready for presentation upon the reassembling of Congress as the administration desires early action.

Georgia Affairs

The *Times* special thinks that there is no truth in the rumor that an attempt will be made to break up the quorum in the Georgia Legislature. In a few weeks, no matter what its political complexion now is the State will be forced to accept the terms offered by Congress.

Minister Sickles.

The opponents of the confirmation of Minister Sickles have got up a long series of charges against him which will be laid before the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

Proposition to Make Three States of Texas

A movement is on foot to divide Texas into three States to be called respectively Houston Lincoln and Texas. This will be developed when Texas is admitted into the Union.

Robbery and Murder

Providence R. I. Dec 26. At Mapleville one day last week Thos Murray a wood carrier had an altercation with his son and cut his throat badly that the latter died soon after. The murderer escaped.

[illegible] N. Y. Dec 26. On Thursday night a girl entered the house of [illegible] Smith a eighty years old who resides on a farm in Onondaga county. A struggle ensued between the parties and the robbers of the old man insensible on the floor. He died last evening. Two men named Sweeny and Burns have been arrested on suspicion.

Miscellaneous

Boston Dec 2. The Union Pacific Railroad Company which advertised to pay their notes early at Boston reconsidered the decision and will pay them at New York to those who wish on and after the 3d.

New York Dec 25. At a large meeting the Union League Club last night Wm. Hayes offered resolutions of respect to the late E. M. Stanton which were unanimously adopted. A committee was appointed to attend the funeral.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

Paris, Dec. 25.—The Corps Legislatif will probably adjourn to morrow.

The bullion in the Bank of France has increased from [illegible] 000 since last week.

The Emperor has received a diploma as honorary member of the Archaeological Society of the Prussian and Rhenish provinces.

The *Journal officiel* contains an Imperial decree making new postal arrangements between France and the United States. Letters sent direct from grammes weight require prepayment of forty centimes. If sent by England seventy centimes. Stamps are to be had of the French administration. Insufficient prepayment renders the postage null. Prepayment on all letters carried by French steamers is obligatory.

The Bourse is quiet and firm over a rumor that a list of new Ministry will appear on Saturday.

Rome Dec 23.—The fourth congregation of the Council will be held on the 30th instant when the election of new members of the committees on orders will take place. It is expected that on [illegible] the committees are completed discussions on [illegible] concerning faith will commence.

The Austrian Bishops were received at audience yesterday by the Empress.

A dinner and reception were given last night by the French Ambassador, at which eighty dignitaries of the church were present.

London Dec. 23.—Overend, Gurney & Co's trial is ended. The result was acquittal.

The bullion in the Bank of England has increased 66 500 pounds during the week.

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING DEC 29, 1869

Death of Edwin M Stanton

The telegraphic dispatches bring the mel ancholy news of the death of Edwin M Stanton Even had he not been brought just recently, prominently before the publi in connection with one of the most important and responsible positions under our Govern ment the intelligence would have been start ling and would have thrilled the country with genuine sorrow. The fact that th people of the whole United States have just had their long-entertained impressions of him revived by his appointment to the Su preme bench doubles the startling effect of the news that he is no more and adds to the attention which his death carries throughout the country The fame of Edwin M Stan ton belongs to the nation It will endure along with that of Lincoln and the brave men whose lives were laid upon the altar of their country in the great struggle of 1861-4 —never to perish while history holds a page of America's most memorable period. Now that the grave has opened to receive all that was mortal of him, we believe that all the people will lay aside the prejudices bred of party conflicts and join in paying that respect to the country, which his eminent abilities and devotion to his country justly challenge.

Mr. Stanton was born in 1815, at Steubenville, Ohio, and was therefore but little past the prime of life. To his arduous and unremitting labors as Secretary of war from the beginning of 1862 till near the close of 1867, may be attributed that undermining and shattering of his health which has just resulted in his death. His parents were Virginians He was a law student with L D Collier at Steubenville, and was admitted to the bar, after two years of reading, in 1836, entered public life the following year, as Prosecuting Attorney of Harrison county, Ohio, two years after which in 1839 was elected by the Ohio Legislature Reporter of the decisions of the Supreme Court, which office he held till 1842 In 1848 he removed to Pittsburg, and so much was his legal talent appreciated that his services were extended to the higher courts of several States and to the Supreme Court of the United States He removed to Wash ington in 1857 and was employed not only by private parties, but by the Government in some of the most important suits then pend ing in the United States. President Buchanan appointed him Attorney General to succeed Jeremiah S Black, appointed Secretary of State in December 1860. He held this office till the 4th of March 1861. On the 15th of January, 1862, he was appointed Secretary of War to succeed Simon Cameron, resigned, and very promptly won the confidence of President Lincoln, at once the ablest and most trusted of the friends of the late President. He remained in this office con tinuously till the close of the impeachment trial of President Johnson. On the 20th of December, 1867, he was appointed Judge of the Supreme Court, and was confirmed by the Senate on the same day.

The Public Lands

The Commissioner of the General Land Office's statement of the public domain at 1,800,000,000 acres. During the last year, 11,000,000 acres were surveyed and brought into the market. Time was granted to our former number of freeholders sixty thousand new settlers, who have commenced to hew and dig their way up to competence and independence, and who in a year or two will have to swell the great aggregate of na tional wealth. Sixty thousand men in one year, with axe and spade, and plow, to develop the wild acres of the great West ern States and Territories and homes! And still there are thousands and hundreds of thous ands waiting to leave the over-crowded hives of the East to swell the boats that are moving down the rivers and lakes. We do not find anywhere a better illustration of the growth and prosperity of the nation.

It is noticed by Southern writers in the history of the rebellion, among other things, that whereas in former years, the accessions from Ireland were largely added in the great cities of the east to the most precious substance, being better built, than in anything except per sonal freedom, by their removal; the Germans mostly scattered themselves among the mid dle States, becoming small tenants of wealthy American landholders, and other nationalities generally seemed content to have arrived anywhere in America and to be thrown about and carriers of water"—now, all these tides are sweeping to the west to people and develop our wildernesses and to become active agents in working out the great ideas of American civilization. These are the men and the women who are wanted on the United States. No acre of American soil will ever more wisely disposed of than those last year vested by patent in the "sixty acre" act. Welcome to the hundred thousand who will add the lives this year to the number of wealth-producers! Keep the gates wide open for all such comers! Justice and policy and the destiny that is provided for America demand it.

"Responsibility Rests."

In view of the fact that the Democratic party of Oregon is now in the act of putting a concerted effort to foist the responsibility of the Chinese treaty, upon the shoulders of the Republican party, it may be well enough to reproduce a little bit of history which was furnished some months ago by the Stockton *Independent*

"The Senate of the fourth session of the Cali fornia Legislature was politically divided into thirty-three Democrats and eight Whigs—the Re publican party had not been organized Mr Keene was President *pro tempore*, and therefore the technical "leader" of the majority On the 27th of January, 1853, Keene introduced a reso lution requesting the President of the United States to appoint some suitable person from this State for the office of Commissioner to China Keene's resolution was rejected [See *Senate Journal*, 4th session, page 80.] On the following day, January 28th Senator Hager of San Fran cisco, who is also now a Senator from that county and is standing Democrat, moved to reconsider the vote rejecting Keene's resolution which was agreed to; whereupon Mr Hager moved to amend, so as to make the resolution read as fol lows:

Whereas, California is nearer to the Empire of China than any other State of the Union, and many thousands of Chinese are now residing in California, and intermingled with our people in all their employments

And Whereas, A valuable and increasing commerce already exists between California and China, which may hereafter bring a great accession of wealth to the whole American Union through the ports of California, and open the way to a free intercourse with the secluded nations of Asia:

Therefore Resolved That, in our opinion the public interest would be promoted by the ap pointment of a citizen of California to the office of Commissioner to China Hager's resolution was adopted—16 yeas, 3 nays [See page 85 *Senate Journal*, 4th session.]

This is history which never has been and cannot be, disputed We ask intelligent men to remember if when they hear Demo crats charge upon us the responsibility of Chinese immigration And when they hear Dem o rats charge upon us the intent to further swell the Chin se population by im porting one hundred million more other number let them remember that a R publi can Senator in a Republican Congress intro duced the first bill to stay the wholesale im portations proposed in the year 1859 by Dem ocrats

The great railroad enterprises of the United States is likely to work some very important changes in the channels of commerce It may be nothing of the probable effects of the completion of the line projected for the Pa cific coast and connecting the Pacific with the Mississippi valley, which may not only revo lutionize the carrying trade between Atlantic and Pacific ports but also create new ports and new routes across the Pacific, the rear now in progress movements in the Eastern States which promise to make New York in a few years secondary in importance as a com mercial port to some place further north some place with a deeper harbor and with fewer difficulties of access One of these is to make Portland Maine the eastern terminus of the trans continental system of railroads because it has the requisites of a better har bor and a shorter sea-voyage connection with Liverpool There is later still another pro ject, to make Halifax the terminus Of this the New York *Times* says It is preferable to Portland on the score of longitude, and can be connected with the Pacific Road by filling a gap of fifty-six miles in the eastern part of Maine It would also be important to build a few miles of road in Vermont, New Hamp shire and New York to shorten the routes in those States, As business is business we do not see any good reason why Halifax should not become the preferred terminus for the passenger traffic, at least in the summer time when there is no danger of the obstruction of the harbor by ice

OREGON

The firemen of Salem are to have a ball on New Year's eve.

S C Simpson, of Salem, is to lecture at Eugene City, January 6th, for the benefit of the Odd Fellows' Library, of that place Subject—George Peabody

On Tuesday evening, the Salem Dramatic Troupe performed at Reed's Opera House, Doug las Jerrold's drama "Fifteen years of a Drunk ard's Life"

Messrs. Geo. J Bays and A Elsworth have purchased and will hereafter publish the Eugene *Guard*. Politics of the paper to remain as hereto fore, Democratic

On account of illness Mr J. E Smith will not deliver the oration at the Emancipation Celebra tion, at Salem, on New Year's Day. Rev. Geo. P Eiley, of this city, will appear in his stead.

On Wednesday night, the 15th inst, the school house in District No. 7, on Cottonwood Creek, Umatilla county, was destroyed by fire The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary

John W. Kelly has issued a prospectus for a Weekly Newspaper, to be published in Port Orford, Curry County. The first number will appear about the 15th of January next In politics it will be Democratic

The Salem *Statesman* says "The protracted meeting that has been in progress during the past three weeks, at the Baptist Church in this city, will be continued during the present week Quite a number have been added to the membership, and the interest is increasing."

A correspondent at Albany says the conduct of the City Marshal recently elected, has been such that he has been twice compelled, already, to con tribute to the city treasury The Marshal was elected on the "time-honored Democratic" lay out. The fact alluded to is not, therefore, astonishing.

The *Mountaineer* says "We learn that rich quartz leads have lately been discovered in the Pocahontas mountains, about eight miles from Baker City, and we were shown some quartz taken from one of the leads that was beautifully impregnated with coarse gold, and the gentleman who had it in his possession, said that he saw a large quantity equally as good."

The State Journal gives an account of the rob bery of a Chinaman, by three boys, a few days since, a few miles south of Eugene. The boys, who had been educated, probably, into the belief that a Chinaman has no rights that a white man is bound to respect, met the Chinaman in the road, each having a gun, and "went through" him, taking three twenty dollar gold pieces and a couple of rings It is thought the boys can be identified and brought to justice

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

TRADE—MARKETS—AGRICULTURAL MATTERS

[From the Walla Walla Union Dec. 25.]

An effort is being made to consolidate the school districts in this city and then have an efficient graded school

The Agricultural Society have purchased the land of Frederick Schwartz, in this county, for Exposition Grounds

The unusual demand for lumber has had a ten dency to clear out the board yards of this city All the lumber has been bought up, and the price has been advanced $10 on the thousand

From the preparations that have been made and are now making, we feel warranted in say ing that the breadth of acres sown to wheat alone will be double that of last year

Wheat is now being bought for $1 per bushel This is an advance of 20 cents on the bushel The quantity of wheat on hand is limited, and some anticipating another rise of 25 cents, are holding on to their crop

We have been shown a letter from our Delegate in Congress, Mr. Garfielde, in reply to a letter written in behalf of the Agricultural Society, the result of which will be a petition, asking Con gress to give the Society the right to purchase the Military Reserve at this place, in order to pro mote the interests of agriculture

The trade of the city has had a much wider range this fall than for the last four years This is truly gratifying to our merchants and business men generally, and is owing, in a great measure to the fact that goods have been bought from 25 to 30 per cent cheaper than at any previous time It is equally true competition has in creased, but not in the same ratio Goods are re tailed at very low prices at this time, and all that remains to be done to hold the trade and even to do better, is to sell goods reasonably.

PORK PACKING

[From the Statesman Dec 25.]

We hear it stated that the pork crop this year will be lighter than in former years The high prices received for grain induced many of the farmers to dispose of their hogs on foot early in the season and these for the most part have been driven to the mines We hear however of sev eral parties who are largely engaged in putting up pork, and among them A Frank who within the last week has killed and cured 128 head, the av erage weight of which was over 200 lbs Mr F has 250 hogs yet to kill when he will possibly have the largest stock of bacon and hams in the market We hear from the Tualatin that several parties will kill from 100 to 300 head each but still the aggregate will show a light hog crop and so we may expect bacon and hams the coming season to rule high

A writer in *Lippincott's Monthly* is not satisfied with the condition under which young journalists are trained to their calling They are he says, constantly under orders to reflect upon no which are not their own and consequently their finest sensibilities are dulled This sympathy is wasted Journalists who are willing to write against their convictions are not in so much de mand as the writer in *Packard* supposes No editor voluntarily employs a man who goes to his work unwillingly especially when there are num bers of willing hands at his command Writers for the Press are like other people—they can al ways take their wares to the market which best suits their tastes It is their own fault if they do unoriginal work The trade of journalism has its drawbacks perhaps but it does not compel people to sell their souls as well as their brains

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

EASTERN DATES TO DECEMBER 27

Washington News

WASHINGTON, Dec 26 The President to day issued an order assigning Gen Terry to command in Georgia as District Commander under the re cent act in addition to the duties as Com mander of the Department of the South

Official proclamation was made to day of the new treaty recently between the United States and Great Britain which will go into effect January 1st

The President appointed terms and honors the death of Stanton The President and Cabi net officers will go to the residence of the late Sec retary as soon as the Cabinet adjourns to day

WASHINGTON Dec 24 Ex Secretary of War Justice E M Stanton died this morning at 8 o'clock of congestion of the heart Stanton had been confined to his house for about a week The President and Vice President called on him that Sunday on his fifty fourth birthday when the former tendered him his appointment as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, for which Stanton expressed his gratitude and acceptance Yester day Stanton complained of a chance but his family was not alarmed, as he had been in a worse condition previously Shortly after midnight the symptoms became alarming and Surgeon General Barnes who was present on his regular visit, found it impossible to afford him relief Rev Dr Sturkey of the Church of the Epiphany Protestant Episcopal was summoned, but shortly afterward the sufferer lost consciousness and was unable to converse with any one The pulsations of his heart ceased a few seconds and then returned, his breathing being very faint It was not until a half an hour before his death that his family could realize that he was dying About 3 o clock A M he expired quietly breathing away his life without a struggle At his bed side in his last moments were his fam ily, consisting of Mrs. Stanton and four children

WASHINGTON, Dec 27 —The report of the Bu reau of Statistics shows that the imports for the nine months ending September 30th were $384 863,094 in gold an increase of about $66 000 000 over the similar period the previous year $9 0 000 000 of the total were wares transported in for eign vessels The domest exports were at $8 500 000

There was no business transacted in official quarters to day owing to Mr Stanton's funeral All the departments were closed and draped in mourning

J J Knox, Deputy Controller of Currency has been engaged for some time in a revision of the mint laws It is proposed to embody in one law the numerous laws now in existence, and when complete to refer the law as prepared to a committee of experts After the final revision it will be transmitted to Congress with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury The new law will re quire the head officer of the mint to have his office in the Treasury The different mints and assay offices will report to this officer and be en tirely independent of the mint at Philadelphia The treasurer of the mint will not by this law per form the duties of Assistant Treasurer of the United States as at present, and the law will be changed in many other important respects. It is probable that it will be sanctioned by Congress early in January.

New York News.

NEW YORK, Dec 24 —John Hyler ex member of Congress, was knocked down last night at Hackensack, N J, by a ruffian, receiving probably fatal injuries

NEW YORK Dec 27 —Judge Balcomb to day delivered judgement in the Ramsay Fisk case deciding in favor of Fisk & Gould on the grounds that the plaintiffs failed to sustain their complaint and that the stockholders who willfully absented themselves from the meetings at which certain directors were elected had no right afterward to seek redress through the courts for alleged mis management.

New York, Dec. 27 —Dispatches state that the public buildings of the principal cities are closed, flags are at half mast and bells toll as a token of respect to the memory of Mr Stanton.

There is a rumor that irregularities had been discovered in the Merchants' Exchange and National Bank.

The Brooklyn *Eagle* is reported sold for $300, 000.

Frederick S Cozzens, the well known author, was buried to-day

Respect for the Memory of Stanton at Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 26.—The Mayor has issued a proclamation calling a meeting of Citizens to take action on the death of Stanton, who was a former member of the bar of this city. He requested the business houses to close, and, the city bells to be tolled between 12 and 1 o'clock on Monday

PITTSBURG, Dec 27 —A large meeting of citizens was held at noon to day, Mayor Brush presiding, at which eulogies were pronounced and resolutions read in respect to the memory of E M Stanton, and sympathy for his family were passed Between 12 and 1 o clock the city bells were tolled and business generally was suspended.

PITTSBURG, Dec 27 —The City Council passed resolutions of respect to the memory of Stanton A large meeting of the bench and bar paid him a tribute

Horrible Murder

CINCINNATI, Dec 27 —There was a terrible family quarrel in Westwood last evening, resulting in the fatal wounding of a wife and the self de struction of the husband, Cordelia Wilder and John R Wilder, known in Western cities as fur nishers of houses of prostitution. Their family consisted of twelve children. The oldest daugh ter was about a year ago married to an attorney in opposition to the wishes of her father and in accordance with the wishes of the mother. The quarrel grew out of this circumstance, and Wilder first cut his wife's throat and then shot himself

The Red River Republic.

NEW YORK, Dec 27 —An advertisement ap pears in this morning's *Herald* headed "North western Republic of Red River and British Co lumbia—For capable men, soldiers preferred as guides to parties leaving the United States—Writ ten applications only received at the American Annexation League, 448 Broom street." The *Tribune*, in an editorial in respect to the Red River troubles, takes the ground that the United States should observe a strict neutrality, and not allow the passage of troops or munitions of war through our territory

Proposed Recognition of Cuba.

The *Tribune* has a report from Washington that the Administration has now under earnest con sideration the propriety of changing its course in regard to Cuba and speedily recognizing the bel ligerent rights of the insurgents This course is impelled by the evident feeling of the people and the temper of the majority of Congress The re port further states that Secretary Fish and Sena tor Sumner have expressed within three days such views as would indicate a change of policy to ward Cuba and confidence in their future

Funeral of Secretary Stanton

WASHINGTON Dec 27 —The funeral of Stanton to day was largely attended The services were those of the Presbyterian and Protestant Episco pal churches, and were performed by the Rev Dr Stocker, of the Church of Epiphany, of which the deceased was a member, assisted by Rev Mr Pinkley, of the Church of the Ascension and Rev Dr Sparrow Among those present were President Grant and his household with Vice President Colfax Senators and Representatives now in the city members of the Cabinet Judges of the Supreme Court officers of the Army De partment and the principal officers residing here who are in the navy and marine service. The Diplomatic Corps was represented by Minister Thornton and others The City Council mem bers of the bar and a large number of citizens were also in attendance Only a few intimate friends of the family were privileged to see the face previous to closing the coffin In the cham ber where he died there was a floral display the finest ever seen here on a similar occasion The coffin was covered and with wreathed and pressed b quets of the choicest flowers Many accompanied the remains with expressions of sympathy and condolence The procession was large al though there was appearance of rain storm The remains were conveyed to Oak Ridge Cemetery for interment

Miscellaneous

DETROIT Dec 24 —Changes in the manage ment of the Great Western Railroad Canada are about to take place which will place that road under the control of the American connecting lines

ST LOUIS Dec 24 —Three young girls who had been enticed from New York last Monday by a man named Robb and brought to this city were taken out of a house of ill fame yesterday and will be returned to their parents

TORONTO Dec 25 —The Ontario Parliament was prorogued yesterday by the Lieutenant Gov ernor It is asserted that seventy five bills passed during the session

SYRACUSE Dec 27 A most destructive fire occurred here to day Seven large brick stores on Salina street owned by Gould Hawley and others were destroyed Loss about $400 000 Insured for $225 000

BOSTON Dec 27 By order of Gov Claflin all the flags throughout the State were displayed at half mast, to day as a token of respect to the memory of Stanton

LONDON Dec 27 George D Prentice is quite ill, having been confined to his room several days

From Mexico.

NEW YORK Dec 27 —We have City of Mexico news to Nov 20th Mr Seward left the city on the 17th and will remain in Jalapa a few days and then sail for Havana

A fight between the cavalry on the Tulancingo road near the capital one officer and four men were killed The arms of the rebels were captured Governor, Garza of Tamaulipas has resigned The rebels at Puebla are quiet and the Government troops have been reinforced

Rich silver mines have been discovered in the State of Tamaulipas

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

LONDON Dec 24 —Rio advices confirm the re port of the flight of Paz Nothing is known of his whereabouts

LONDON Dec 27 The *Times* to day in an article on the *Alabama* claims, charges Lish with hav ing thought Englishmen should apply different prin ciples in Ameri a than any other nation That Great Britain should have let the Union have armed vessels built to the rebels should have legislated for them of necessary against the latter Was always a heavy burden on neutrals The Laird ram question was particularly grous us to any Englishman

LONDON Dec 27 —The London *Times* to day publishes a card of the Harvards which lately appeared in New York papers explanatory of cer tain matters connected with the international race last August The *Times* rejoices to find in the card an answer to all charges of English unfairness about the race

DUBLIN Dec 27 —A letter published to day from Rome emphatically denies current reports liberally circulated in America that the Bishops at the Ecumenical Council will follow blindly the Papal lead

MADRID Dec 27 —The *Iberia* newspaper says Spain will fully settle the matter in a new constitution during the month of January

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 26 —About 4 30 this afternoon a fire broke out in store 509 and 511 Sacramento street, occupied by Walters, Newhoff & Co printers T Cazer cigar manufacturer, F Koserr brower Goods, Pettunia & Co wine and liquor store The building is a new one and was owned by Baron & Co The origin of the fire is supposed to be from the spontaneous combustion of rags in Scherr's store The loss will not fall short of $25 000 Fully insured

The steamer *Orizaba* from San Diego arrived to day without any passengers and very light freight The steamer *China* arrived this morning, 16 days from Hong Kong, via Yokohama 23 days Among the passengers were Guy Van Valkenburg and suite late U S Minister to Japan The China news is unimportant

General Tom Thumb and party had arrived at Yokohama per steamer *American*

Thomas Clayton was garroted on Friday night and robbed, on Third street He had two ribs broken

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 27 —W P Walsh, in a fit of jealous rage, to-day, stabbed a woman named Mary Williams three times with a sword cane, in a house on Clay street and then cut his own throat from ear to ear with a razor. The woman who is about twenty six years old, will re cover none of the wounds being dangerous Walsh will probably die The deed was premeditated by Walsh as is shown by several letters written by him

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 28 —Two typos employed at the *Bulletin* office got into a fracas to-day, during which one of them named Riordan, was badly cut in the head with a clasp knife by the other, Robert Ferris Ferris is under arrest.

Mary Williams who was stabbed by Walsh, yesterday, is now doing very comfortably Walsh's windpipe is half cut off and his recovery is doubtful.

The British ship *North Star*, now out over 100 days from Hong Kong, for this port, has been heard from. She was spoken October 27th in Banka Channel

San Francisco Produce Market.

Flour—600 bbls Antelope, Cohasset and Commercial, extra, in lots, private

Wheat—Sales good coast $1 07½@1 09 for fair mill ing $1 10. We quote choice shipping at $1 10 @1 20 for choice coast $1 10

Barley—400 ctls good coast $1 07½ Bay is quoted at $1 12½@1 15

Oats—Is heard of no sales this morning. Quotable at $1 20@1 30.

Shipping.

Arrived—Dec. 23d, ship *Orion*, 214 days from New York via San Diego, 4 days, tug *L Mastick*, 4 days from San Diego, towing ship *Orion*

Sailed—Dec 23d, whaling bark *Massachusetts* whaling voyage.

Arrived—Dec 25th, British ship *Vanguard* 186 days from London.

Stockton Dispatch.

STOCKTON, Cal, Dec 26 —At eight minutes to six o'clock this evening, two distinct shocks of earthquakes were experienced in this city The motion was from northwest to southeast Gas lights in a second story brick building swayed to and fro three inches

Suicide

VALLEJO, Cal., Dec. 26 —A man named William Edwards, residing near this place, committed suicide to-day by schooling himself in the head It is supposed he was laboring under a temporary attack of insanity

For throat diseases and affections of the chest, Brown's Bronchial Troches, or Cough Lozenges, are of great value In Coughs, Irritation of the Throat caused by cold, or unusual exertion of the vocal organs in speaking in public or singing, they produce the most beneficial results The Troches have *proved* their efficacy

BURNETT'S COCOAINE WATER —In delicacy and lasting ness of perfume it is unrivalled —*N Y. Dispatch* Sold by S G Skidmore

NEW TO-DAY.

ORO FINO THEATER!

GRAND

NEW YEAR'S EVE PERFORMANCE!

In compliance with the request of MANY CITIZENS who were unable to attend Saturday evening,

MR. & MRS. F. M. BATES

Will give another performance on

FRIDAY EVE'G, DEC 31, 1869,

Consisting of Scenes from

HAMLET, HONEYMOON, &c.,

Concluding with the splendid new Comedietta,

A HAPPY PAIR.

MR & MRS HONEYT N MR & MRS BATES

d29d3t

CARD.

BOSTON OREGONIAN In your paper this morning appeared a statement from Hugh McLaughlin that "Since his residence in Portland most of the time engaged in a legitimate business, and at present working to support two nephews who are at school with the Sisters of Charity in this city, is without foundation I pronounce the allegation *false in every particular* as the said McLaughlin has never contributed to the amount of ten cents to the support of those children Further Months ago I gave special orders to the Sisters to refuse him admittance to the school As there are my children I feel it a duty to state those unpleasant *facts*. JNO S SIBSEY

Dece nber 25 1869

J M ST MARY'S ACADEMY PORTLAND OREGON Dec 28th 1869

SIR As to the inquiry you made whether we received any money of that gentleman to whom reference is made in the MORNING OREGONIAN of December 25th we must state we never received any Yours &c

THE SISTERS OF CHARITY

HOP!

THE WASHINGTON GUARD

Will give a Dance at their Armory on

NEW YEAR'S NIGHT.

Tickets to be had of the Committee d29d4t

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE FOR 1870

THE FIRST EDITION OF ONE HUNDRED AND Twenty Thousand Copies of Vick's Illustrated Catalogue of Seeds and Floral Guide is published and ready to send out It is elegantly printed on fine tinted paper with about 200 fine wood engravings Every class of vegetables and flowers described Into omitted, "seven hundred Dollars" Directions for making a fine BOUQUET IN THREE MINUTES

It is the most beautiful as well as the most instructive Floral Guide published, giving plain and thorough directions for growing CULTURE OF FLOWERS AND VEGETABLES The Floral Guide is printed in the English and German languages, and a copy will be sent free to all who write for it. ITS CONTENTS which is a fair index to the contents of the whole book will be forwarded to all who apply for it. Address

JAMES VICK,

Rochester, N Y

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PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY.

THE REHEARSALS OF YOUR SOCIETY ARE POST poned to Friday Jan 7th 1870 in consequence of the Ball to be given by the Board of Directors

E. QUACKENBUSH Sec'y

d29 3t

BOOTS AND SHOES for sale by

H W CORBETT & CO

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HOLIDAY GOODS!

JACKSON, SANDERSON & CO.,

ARE NOW OPENING A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Holiday Goods, consisting in part of the following:

SILVER WARE:

TEA SETS, TRAYS, CASTORS,

BUTTER DISHES, SYRUP JUGS,

CREAMERS

PRESERVE DISHES—glass and silver

BAKING DISHES—Porcelain lined

CAKE BASKETS VASES,

CARD RECEIVERS,

COLOGNE SETS, &c.

Also a large line of FRANKLIN MARBLE ORNAMENTS VASES &c &c *Heaton* from New York

A large Cut Glassware French China, Plain and Decorated, &c &c

The above goods are for our usual large fall and holiday trade which we will sell at

LOW PRICES

JACKSON, SANDERSON & CO.,

No 86 Front street,

O S N Co's Block Portland Oregon

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NEW STORE!

NEW GOODS!

EVERYTHING NEW FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

L. C. HENRICHSEN & CO.,

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109 FIRST St & 105 FRONT St.,

PORTLAND OREGON

HAVING OPENED OUR NEW STORE WITH AN Extensive Stock of New Latest and most Fashionable Styles of Goods would invite our friends and the public to call and examine our

Solid Silver Ware!

DIAMOND, PEARL,

MOSS AGATE, and other Jewelry!

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,

Fine French Bronze & Marble Clocks,

PLATED WARE in great variety

As we have the largest and best selected Stock of Goods in our line ever brought to this city we feel confident in saying that we can suit every purchaser

Genuine Pebble Spectacles.

REMEMBER—our New Store is at No 109 First Street. Our old Store No 105 Front Street, will be kept open until after the Holidays

d25d1f L C HENRICHSEN & CO

Grocery Calendar of Retail Prices.

[REVISED DAILY BY OATMAN & CO]

TOO TRUE!

ALAS FOR THE EVIL EFFECTS OF ADVERTISing Not long since we quoted Hams at 15 cts per lb little suspecting that everybody would take advantage of the offer but they're all gone and still the cry is

HAMS! HAMS!!

We have a few A No 1 SUGAR-CURED HAMS for 20 cts Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded We want to do the square thing between man and man therefore we cannot sell the creeper and look a hog squarely in the face on the Sabbath

Goods by the Package at a small advance on Chicago prices If Have patience, we have not additional teams to fill all orders till after the Holidays but after they are over,

Come one come all our horses shall fly

From our customers to our Grocery

OYSTERS! OYSTERS!!

C. A. BURCKHARDT,

"GEM!"

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in FRESH

SHOALWATER BAY OYSTERS

Fresh Cargoes Three Times a Week!

ORDERS with the Cash promptly attended to

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NEW CANDY MANUFACTORY!

ALISKY & HEGELE

BEG TO ANNOUNCE TO THEIR PATRONS AND the MERCHANTS throughout the country, that they have commenced the manufacture of all kinds of

FRENCH & AMERICAN

CANDIES.

Dealers will find it to their advantage to call and examine our stock and prices.

PORTLAND CANDY MANUFACTORY

No. 107 First Street (Opposite Post Office.)

PORTLAND OREGON

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JUST RECEIVED

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BY LAST STEAMER,

DRESS SILKS,

FRENCH CASHMERE SHAWLS double

FINE LACES, HANDKERCHIEFS and COLLARS

SILK VELVETS, EMBROIDERIES of all kinds.

NEW STYLES OF TRIMMINGS,

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ARAB BRAIDS!

Besides many other beautiful articles too numerous to mention Call and examine for yourselves

L. ASH,

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REMOVAL.

E. CAHALIN

Has removed his Stock of

Leather and Findings

TO

No. 93 Front street, Portland

CASH PAID FOR HIDES AND FURS.

Country Dealers supplied on liberal terms BOOT LEGS made to order

Agent for Ehrenwerker & Co's Hemlock Sole Leather d2dtf

FRESH ARRIVAL

A FRESH SUPPLY OF THE CELEBRATED

Hathaway Shirts,

Just arrived per

MOSES TAYLOR

And for sale by

CLARKE, HENDERSON & COOK

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COMMON-SENSE HOMŒOPATHY!

A LECTURE WILL BE DELIVERED ON THE COMMON-SENSE OF HOMŒOPATHY, at

ORO FINO THEATER,

on

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC 29 1869,

by

DOCTOR SLOAN.

The Doctor will first explain his system of treating diseases, and will then proceed to treat such cases as may be presented. Ladies desiring to consult Dr Sloan can do so at his office, No 3 Washington street, from 9 A M to 4 P M

Tickets 50 cts d22-12t

Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLders of the PORTLAND AND BRAINARD MILL COMPANY will be held at their office in the city of Portland, on Saturday the 8th day of January 1870 at 10 o'clock A M for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting

ED FAILING Sec'y

Portland Dec 15 1869 d15d10t

Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLders of the Oregon Iron Works will be held at the office of the Company in Portland on Wednesday January 5 1870 at 10 o'clock A M

J B ERICK President

Portland Dec 15 1869 d15d20t

North Pacific Transportation Co.

FOR

San Francisco, Direct,

STEAMER

MOSES TAYLOR,

WM METCALF Commander

Will leave Couch's Wharf for the above Port

ON

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1 1870,

At 4 o'clock P M

For Victoria, B. C.,

PORT TOWNSEND, SEATTLE

STILLACOOM & OLYMPIA

STEAMSHIP

Gussie Telfair,

N I ROGERS Commander

Will leave Couch's Wharf for the above ports

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21ST, 1869,

At 5 o'clock P M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company No. 9 Front street

GEO W WEIDLER Agent.

STITZEL & UPTON,

Real Estate Brokers,

No. 86,

COR FRONT AND WASHINGTON STS

Have for sale a large amount of City Property Parties desiring to purchase will do well to call at our office

LOANS NEGOTIATED ON COLLATERAL AND First Mortgage Security

EAST PORTLAND PROPERTY!

For sale in the town of East Portland all of Block No 17 also the south half of block 49 all of Blocks No 202 221 and 487 also lots 8 and 9 in Blocks No 188 Apply to Stitzel & Upton, corner Front and Washington streets

FOR SALE—A large amount of Land near East Portland, by the acre in lots to suit the purchaser

CITY PROPERTY!

For sale—a desirable Home Lot—50x100 feet—corner Ninth and Stark streets, with a north and west frontage Apply to Stitzel & Upton, Real Estate Brokers

Also, Two Lots fronting on Second, Ninth and Stark streets with a north and east frontage. A good bargain can be had

For Sale—that desirable Home Lot No 5, Lots 3 and 4, corner of Taylor and Seventh Apply to One of the best locations in the city a good one and a half story house with all other conveniences Apply to Stitzel & Upton Real Estate Brokers.

FRONT AND FIRST Streets—We have for sale Business Property situated on Front st. That will pay a good interest on the investment.

THIRD STREET—Lot 50x80 feet, corner Third and Yamhill sts price $2,500. Apply to Stitzel & Upton, Real Estate Brokers

For sale by Stitzel & Upton corner Front and Washington streets All choice home-stead city Lots located in different parts of the city

For sale on Park street corner of Park and Harrison, Lots 3 and 4 Desirable location Price $1 000.

FARMS AND FARMING LANDS!

YAMHILL COUNTY —320 acre farm, 25 miles from Portland, in Chehalem valley One of the best crop and grain farms in the State; 250 acres of choice prairie land; good buildings, fences, water, etc. Apply to Stitzel & Upton, corner of Front and Washington streets

60 acre farm for sale near East Portland on the Base Line road A good frame house and other buildings, a good eastern and well Price $1,800. Apply to Stitzel & Upton corner Front and Washington streets.

WASHINGTON COUNTY —213 acre tract, 12 miles from Portland, on the Harris Ferry road; 30 acres cleared land 20 acres in cultivation plenty of good water and timber, orchard, a log house and shed. Price $2000.

Also 106 acre tract near the same place 25 acres of plowed land one mile from the Tualatin river Price $800 Apply to Stitzel & Upton, Real Estate Brokers, corner of Front and Washington streets.

For sale in Washington county—140 acre farm 8 miles from Portland on the Barnes road; 70 acres in good cultivation; a good frame barn and log house; a fine stream of water running through the place; price $3,000 Apply to Stitzel & Upton, corner of Front and Washington streets

FOR SALE—A good Farm of 160 acres 120 acres choice prairie land; good buildings; 20 miles from Portland near Forest Grove, in Washington county; price $2,750 !

For Sale by Stitzel & Upton Real Estate Brokers in Washington county, 15 miles from Portland, a desirable Farm containing 640 acres; 250 acres in good cultivation, all under fence. One of the best Stock and Grain Farms in the State; price $5 per acre; one-half down, balance long credit can be had

For Sale—A 10 acre Farm for sale by Stitzel & Upton, near the town of Hillsboro 120 acres prairie land; 40 acres brush land cleared and sowed to timothy good house and barn, good fencing, and plenty of running water Price $3,000. Terms easy

160 acre tract near Forest Grove in Washington county 20 acres in cultivation; a good stone quarry on the place; a good frame house Price $500

Special Attention given to Commission Business.

The best maps and latest surveys are in our Rooms, open to public inspection, together with such other sources of information as will be useful to parties looking land for speculation, or information as to what lands are desirable and properly located for those applying

Apply to

STITZEL & UPTON,

REAL ESTATE BROKERS

au2 Corner of Front and Washington sts

FOR A HOLIDAY PRESENT BUY A

GROVER & BAKER

Sewing Machine.

A LADY IN THIS CITY, WHO HAS USED A Grover & Baker Machine for eight years, and is familiar with the Wheeler & Wilson, Florence and Singer Machines, says of the Grover & Baker: "I have used it on all kinds of work I like it better than any other the stitch is more elastic and more perfect than any other; and after washing it presents a better appearance than the work of any other machine The tension adapts itself immediately to every varying thickness of fabric, and the cotton can be used without respooling. In quilting, it makes a perfect stitch and no other machine embroiders but this"

WM. CORNETT & CO., Agents,

d15d1w1 103 Front Street

GRAND NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL!

AT

Oregon City.

PROF. CARDINELLI

Will give a

GRAND BALL!

ON

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC 31ST, 1869,

AT THE

COURT HOUSE.

Tickets can be had of the pupils of his Dancing School

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TOYS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

FOR SALE AT WHOLESALE

AT

WASSERMAN & CO.'S,

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AT THE

GEM.

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A. B RICHARDSON,

AUCTIONEER,

Corner of Front and Oak Sts

AUCTION SALE

OF REAL ESTATE GROCERIES DRY GOODS CHANDLERY AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Sale Days Wednesday and Saturday

A B RICHARDSON, Auc'r

Aug 25

At Private Sale—

ENGLISH REFINED BAR and SUNDRIES

do ECLARE & OCTAGON CASTILE

HORSE SHOES FILES RASPS, SAWS,

SCREWS PEN PANS SHEET IRON, &c.

ALSO:

Large assortment of ORGANS and MELODEONS

A B RICHARDSON, Auc'r

Regular and Peremptory Sale

OF

Groceries, Furniture,

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, &C.

I will sell at my Auction Sales Room

On WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29TH,

At 10 o'clock A M,

1000 boxes C C SOAP;

600 boxes YELLOW FAMILY SOAP;

500 boxes STARR CANDLES;

400 boxes ADAMANTINE;

ALSO,

1 invoice CLOTHES BASKETS;

50 reams MARKET

ALSO,

100 half bbls DRIED PEACHES;

100 half bbls SUGAR;

100 bbls SYRUP;

The Daily Oregonian.

MORNING, DEC. 29, 1869.

CITY.

STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—The State Teachers' Institute convened at the Central School building in this city, yesterday forenoon, at ten o'clock. A large number of members were present and an unusual interest as usual manifested in the objects of the society. A motion was made that when the session adjourn, it adjourn *sine die*. The question was discussed at some length, but was finally withdrawn. The clergy of the city were invited and evinced commendable interest in the society's work. The number of teachers in the city in attendance was not large, but others are expected to arrive to-day. We are furnished with the following as the programme of exercises to-day:

9 o'clock, School Government, L. J. Simmons; 10 o'clock, Magic Squares, C. H. Mattoon; 11 o'clock, Grammar, W. L. Worthington. 12 o'clock, Elocution, William Pillsbury; 1 o'clock, Algebra, R. K. Warren; 3 o'clock, Graded Schools, A. J. Anderson; 4 o'clock, Physiographic Geology, C. Smith.

Those having an interest in education are invited to attend, and we doubt not those who attend will be highly entertained.

OREGON PRODUCTS.—From the San Francisco *Commercial Herald* of the 17th inst. we make the following statements concerning Oregon products in that market:

"We are now receiving pork and beef from Oregon, also, smoked meats and lard. Prices droop somewhat, with little disposition to buy at any quotations.

"Of pork.—Of the former, local suppliers are asking $18 for mess, according to quality. Prime pork is obtainable at $24 for mess, and $22 @ bbl for prime.

"Receipts of certain articles of Oregon produce from January 1st to date have been as follows: Flour, qr'sks, 484,318; wheat, sks, 34,056,334; barley, sks, 240; salmon, bbls, 2,309; 57 bbls, 2,816; onions, 19,714 pkgs, 435; cheese, 4,540; beef, bbls, 506; butter, pkgs, 2,172; pork, bbls, 1,593; dried apples, 4,730; pig iron, tons, 825.

TO-DAY.—The following excellent programme is to be rendered upon by the Band for the pleasure of those who may be to-day at the Plaza. Performance to commence at half-past two P. M.

1. Quick-step.
2. Grand Polka.
3. Overture from "Il Pirata," *Bellini*.
4. Grand Russian River Quadrille.
5. Soldier's Song from the Talisman.
6. Prince William's March.
7. Fantasia in Don Pasquale (a summer night,)
8. Waltz.
9. Finale of the Ball Galop.

ORO FINO.—By request of many citizens Mr. Wilkes have consented to appear once more on the Portland public. On Friday next they will give a choice entertainment at Oro Fino Hall, which, at this time an excellent bill will be presented, being the last opportunity of seeing these deservedly popular performers in our midst. We look with confidence to see them play to a crowded house. When Mr. and Mrs. Wilkes are on the stage, the first parts of music are not surpassed by any inferior acting.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Nihin, the 24 Main engineer, who was badly wounded some days ago by the bursting of the steamer's signal whistle, is almost well and will have good use of his arm, which was badly shattered. He informs us that he has been very kindly cared for by Messrs. Holliday and Weidler, and desires through us to express his gratitude to them for favors they have shown him and aid they have rendered. Such instances of generosity are commendable.

FREE MASONIC LECTURES.—The lecture by Rev. Mr. Hall at the Catholic Church, last night, was listened to by a large audience, who were well pleased with every parts of the lecture. Quite a number of the speaker's hearers differed with him in regard to the policy of Victor Emanuel's course in the late Italian revolution, but all were highly entertained by the eloquent manner in which he handled the great conflict going on in Italy between the contending powers of earth and hell.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—We are informed that the Directors of this city met on Monday last and organized a society of a benevolent character, the object of which is to provide for the comfort of those of their countrymen who may unfortunately fall into sickness or distress. Such a step is truly praiseworthy and the hearty co-operation of all Englishmen is solicited.

ARREST.—On the 23d of Hugh McLaughlin was arrested by Recorder Anderson, C. A. Dolph and Parrish, Esqs., appeared on the part of the State, and J. W. Wesley, Esq., for defendant. Court fined McLaughlin thirty dollars and costs. A charge of threatening to do bodily injury was made against him, which was investigated to-day.

EDITORIAL.—This morning we publish a number of days, delayed dispatches. In order to do this, we have omitted several paragraphs already published, which were miscellaneous in character, and several which were of a local and uninteresting. All the local matter, job printing will be found in its proper place.

NEW YEAR'S DAY.—We take this occasion to say a few words in regard to the best place in Portland where the best common lager beer can be found, is the library rooms, corner of First and Stark street, at any time between the hours of 9 A. M. and 10 P. M. daily. "He Does Right," and "Army Life in a Black Regiment," are new books lately received at the Library.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.—Pursuant to a resolution of the Common Council, the Committee on Property is having the room adjoining the Council room, fitted up for the use and benefit of the City Surveyor. When finished this office will have very comfortable and convenient quarters.

PROSPECTUS.—The prospectus of an evening paper is published in this city, with the above name, and placed on our table. It proposes to publish telegraphic news, to be neutral in politics, and furnished to subscribers at fifteen cents per week. Messrs. Morrison & Miller are the publishers.

ACCIDENT.—A man living a few miles south of Albany was badly injured on Monday evening last by a tree falling on him. His arm was broken at the wrist and shoulders severely bruised, being called, Dr. Chapman dressed the wounds and made him as comfortable as could be expected.

ARRIVAL.—Yesterday morning A. B. Hallock and John Holton started to Salem with John Gee and Kee Wan, both sentenced to the Penitentiary. The former for two years, for larceny, the latter for eighteen months for manslaughter.

FOUND DROWNED.—The bodies of two Chinamen, who capsized up the river at some one of the fisheries, were brought down on the *Sauvie* on Saturday. They are to be shipped for China.

OCEAN VESSELS.—There are now in this port five sailing vessels and one ocean steamer, viz: the *Champion, Live Yankee, North Star* and *Whistler*, and the *Moses Taylor*.

POSTPONED.—We are informed that the time of sailing of the *Moses Taylor* has been postponed until Saturday.

LECTURE.—Dr. Sloan will lecture on the comparative merits of Homeopathy at the Theater this evening.

REMOVAL.—The office of the evening *Commercial* is to be removed to Carter's brick, on Alder street.

THE JURORS.—The great importance of the duties of appointments recently made by the Presiding Judge causes them to be very thoroughly canvassed, and it is possible that some of them may not be approved. On the whole, however, they meet with approval, the more hearty and sincere from those who recognize that there are wanted men, not violent partisans and used up politicians, hacks, but judges—men of the very best character, not only of mind and culture, but of permanent and independence of character. Such men, moreover, are not generally more politic, and have won distinction rather as lawyers than in any other field.—St. Scout.

IDAHO.

SENTENCED TO THE PENITENTIARY.

[From the Boise Statesman.]

The sheriff of Onida county arrived last night, on his way to Idaho, with a prisoner named Stone, who was sentenced by Judge Lewis to ten years in the penitentiary for participating in the express robbery about forty miles this side of Port Neuf Canyon, last September. Stone was wounded in one of his legs when captured, and afterwards suffered amputation, and now walks with crutches.

THE SUMNER TRIAL.

The readers of the *Statesman* have been looking with feverish anxiety for the proceedings of this case. It is the only topic of conversation at all times and by all parties. Never before in the criminal history of the Territory has a case awakened so much interest in the public mind. Each arrival of the stage from Idaho occasions a rush for the hotels and other public places to obtain the latest information concerning the progress of the trial; and every little bit of news is eagerly sought for and transmitted from one to another with and without comment. Nothing of interest came down by stage last night, except that the case was progressing slowly in the examination of witnesses. It was thought that the evidence would be all given by to-morrow or next day.

Meeting of the Polytechnic Institute.

THE AURORA BOREALIS—WHAT IS IT?

The usual weekly meeting of the Polytechnic Institute was held last evening at the Cooper Institute, Professor Tilman presiding. An hour was devoted to the discussion of minor mechanics, after which Mr. Vandeweyde opened the discussion on "the aurora borealis" and said that comets were illuminated by the sun, but the aurora borealis was not a polarization of solar light. Stars have their peculiar light and so has the aurora borealis, whose light is not solar, but independent and of a wholly different nature. All *savans* now agree that electricity is the only cause that accounts for the phenomenon of the aurora borealis.

It is only after long and painstaking research that the electrical doctrine has been adopted to explain the phenomenon.

It struck the first experimenters that when air is half exhausted in a low tube and electricity is admitted it assumes the appearance of the aurora. When an aurora occurs the compass is affected, which is another argument in favor of this theory. The cause of all atmospheric electricity is the evaporation of water. Where evaporation proceeds on a large scale, as in the tropics, the electricity is always in an active state. In the aurora the discharges of electricity are conducted through a good conducting medium. The speaker here gave some very interesting experiments with an electric battery showing the formation of the colors in the aurora borealis. The lights being turned down low, two slender wires were inserted in a glass tube and the electricity being turned on a perfect resemblance was shown to the tints observable in the aurora.—*N. Y. Herald.*

NOT MUCH OF A JOB.—In reference to the construction of the Darien canal the engineering difficulties presented are not greater than those surmounted in the Suez canal. At Suez not only had the canal to be excavated through a rainless desert of sand and shifting sandhills, but a fresh water canal was first required to supply men and animals employed in the work. At Darien the heavy tropical rains and their washings will be among the most serious difficulties to overcome in digging the canal. Hills of solid rock are harder to cut through than hillocks of sand, but once through the rock the canal is done and it is enduring, while at Suez the work of dredging will have to be constantly kept up. At Suez every stick of timber and piece of lumber of the thousands of shiploads required on the work, they had to bring by sea from great distances. At Darien the boundless forest of the finest trees will be equal to any demand, as they have been the greatest impediment to the explorations of the isthmus. We say nothing of the veins of silver and gold which lubricate the backbone of our continent all the way through; for we hold that the advantages suggested ought to be sufficient for the immediate undertaking and speedy execution of the Darien canal.—*N. Y. Herald.*

ACCIDENTS.—Immense crowds of people run away from their homes yesterday, made a direct break for the popular firm of Barman Bros., and pleased they were to find everything they inquired for in the line of Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, etc., etc., and you bet not one left the store without being highly pleased with their goods and prices. Well 'tell again at the Odd Fellow's Temple Clothing Store, corner Front and Alder streets.

Who has the finest assortment of Jewelry and the best lot of gold and silver watches in this city? Who is it that gives the best bargains for cash of any house in town? B. L. Stone. His motto is, "Quick sales and small profits."

OPEN IN THE EVENING.—Jackson, Sanderson & Co. will keep their store open until 9 o'clock in the evening until after the Holidays.

The largest and finest lot of Ladies, Mink Collars, Muffs, Victorines; also, Children's Fur Sets, to be sold before the Holidays, at reduced prices, at the New York Store of M. Moskowitz, 125 Front street.

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Corner and Inside Lots, Half Blocks and Blocks with Buildings and unimproved, situated in the most desirable portions of this city and in East Portland, for sale at very reasonable prices and on liberal terms.

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Will meet at the office of Hon. J. H. Mitchell, in the city of Portland, on Wednesday, the 19th day of January, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M., to designate the time and place for holding the Union Republican State Convention of 1870. M. P. BERRY, Chairman.

Salem, Dec 18, 1869

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No. 110 FRONT STREET,

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HAVE A CHOICE LOT OF HOUSES AND LOTS as well as vacant Lots and Blocks for sale in the city of Portland. Also

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10,000 acres of good Farming Land, a few of the tracts here particularized:

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20 acres two and a half miles from East Portland on Base Line road for $1,200;
320 acres in Yamhill county, 90 acres improved, at $5 per acre;
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We have for sale some very good property in East Portland—Lots, Blocks and half Blocks.

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Suitable for

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We propose to sell at

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Fine Custom-Made Clothing;
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Latest Styles Neck Ties;
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All Kinds Under Wear;
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Latest Styles of Hats and Caps;

All our own Importations, Direct from New York and Selling very Low, by

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FURS! FURS! FURS!

KOSHLAND BROS.,

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HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE LARGEST AND best selected assortment of Ladies, Misses and Children's FURS that was ever imported into this market, and offer them at such prices as to astonish the natives who catch and the Ladies who buy them.

We also have a large and well selected stock of

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All of which we sell at lower rates than any house in the city.

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Apply to DR. R. GLISAN,

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THE TWO STORY BRICK BUILDING NO 122 Front street, adjoining

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A Few Day Boarders

CAN BE ACCOMMODATED at the WHITE HOUSE North Third Street, between B. and C. Also one pleasant room for rent, with board. d24d1w

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BOOTS and SHOES

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Ground Coffee and Spices are always best for Family Use when Fresh, and the public are invited to try our Home Manufactures instead of using old and stale importations from California and elsewhere. d9d6f

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AND SEE OUR

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THE SIMPLEST AND BEST LOCK-STITCH MACHINE now in use. Also, the IMPROVED FOLSOM MACHINE,—the best hand machine on this coast, making the single chain or double chain or Grover & Baker stitch; price from $12 50 to $30; Five dollars extra for a treadle. We have also ALL KINDS of Second Hand Machines at prices to suit the customer. We will rent our Machines from $2 50 to $4 00 per month, according to the kind wanted. We will also repair all kinds of machines on short notice. Every machine warranted. All orders promptly attended to. Agents wanted in every county in the State.

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HENRY W. MONNASTES & CHAS H. PAGE

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TO

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Also, many new Styles of GENTS' HATS, intended for the holidays.

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Which follows the HARVARD Style, and surpasses it in design. Call and examine at

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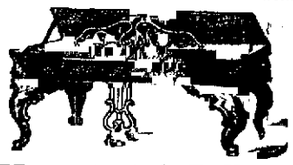

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I WILL PAY $100 REWARD FOR THE ARREST and delivery to me at Hillsboro, of one D. W. Mack, who is charged with stabbing and killing Jacob Smith. Said D. W. Mack is a half breed Indian, about 27 years old and about 5 feet 11 inches high, dark hair and eyes, had on when he left a blue soldier's overcoat and white duck overalls.

This 8th day of December, 1869

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In addition to the above, I will give $400 for the arrest and delivery as above of said Mack.

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LATE OF THE CONTINENTAL SHAVING SALOON on Morrison street, informs his customers that he has taken Rooms in

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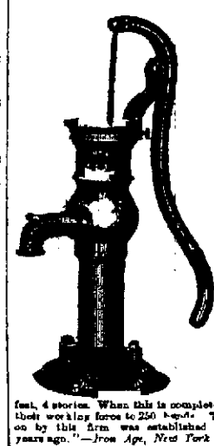

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The undersigned, who has always enjoyed public confidence for the excellent quality of his Coffee, and desiring to [illegible] the good [illegible] which now [illegible] here, and in the markets of the [illegible] at reduced [illegible] prices, assures the country at [illegible] and every day he sends out, with [illegible] by counterfeit or injection of his make, look to [illegible] the public, pulverize upon them their [illegible] for the genuine G. VENARD CHARTRES COFFEE. This brand can deservedly [illegible] to the favorable opinion of [illegible] through [illegible] by the [illegible] vertical [illegible] their guard against [illegible]

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We manufacture is unequalled, and a continuance of their liberal patronage solicits us to furnish it at a lower price than any article of the kind in your market.

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WILL OPEN HIS DAN

To My Love

Her eyes are a rain-gold colour, and dazzling
Be glance the items fashionless clashing
Dazzling like the l[illegible] jacket flashing
Down [illegible]

Upon her cheeks keep [illegible]
Her voice [illegible]
Blent with the bulbul's note when [illegible]
All the grove with thrilling plaint

Ah, me—what lithe and stately motion
As [illegible]
Oh she can win a life's devotion
From whose [illegible]

Heaven [illegible]
Storm clouds from [illegible]
So moulded as if all the graces
Had conspired to make her face

And shall I make this poem [illegible]
Read love for me in every [illegible]
Ah! surely I must needs first teach her
To believe she's [illegible]

Yet costly gems adorn more by setting
Thence oftentimes the charms begetting
Cease then my [illegible]
Then cannot match her love with thine
—*Tupe Near*

Sumner's Banking Bill

Upon the introduction of his bill providing for the enlargement of the national banking system Senator Sumner indicated his reasons in favor of the proposition as follows

1. It will create a demand for national bonds and to this extent fortify the national credit

2. It will tend to satisfy those parts of the country, especially at the South and West, where currency and banks are wanting and thus [illegible]

3. It will not expand or contract the currency, so that the opposition parties on these questions may [illegible]

4. While it banks will gradually strengthen themselves and prepare to resume specie payments

5. It will give the South and West the opportunity to organize banks, and will interest those parts of the country to this extent in the national securities and the national banking system, by which both will be strengthened

6. It will [illegible] a reasonable time relieve the country of the whole greenback system, and thus dispose of an important question

7. It will hasten the return to specie payments

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

PORTLAND, Dec. 23, 1869

New York Gold quoted as at last advices 120 @ 120¾

San Francisco Legal Tender rates 82½@83½

Portland Legal Tender rates 82@83

Trading has been somewhat livelier in the matter of trade [illegible] is in fact more brisk than for a week past, and the hope that a [illegible] activity will soon take place is felt by dealers generally. There is an increase in the receipts of produce from the upper Willamette, the two steamers plying in that direction bringing full freights daily.

The [illegible] are large, but the demand is good.

Flour [illegible] are noted at the prices given in our daily [illegible] with a tendency to better rates

Bacon [illegible] if we except pork and bacon which are the [illegible] in good demand, for the Cali[illegible] markets.

Dry goods [illegible] are steadily [illegible] with the winter's [illegible], but [illegible] indicate [illegible] more lively times very soon [illegible]

Wholesale Jobbing Prices

PORTLAND, Dec. 25, 1869.

APPLES—[illegible] in California, $3 @5.

BACON—Sides [illegible] 24c; Hams, 24@25c; Breakfast Bacon, 25@26c; Shoulders, 18@19c.

BUTTER—[illegible] Oregon, No. 1, $3 25 @ doz; No. 2, 2½ @ $3 00; California make, No. 1, $3 75 @ $4; No. 2, $3 50 @ $3 75.

CANDLES—Oregon, Sperm's, 24c; Kelly's, 16c; Star, 18c; Wright, 19½c; Hard, 13½c; Adam's, 18c.

COAL—[illegible] Cove, $12@13½; Java, $27; Japan, [illegible]; Java, 40; Chestnut, 80; Wama, 120.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, in bulk 3½c, in kegs 6cts; [illegible] new 12 cts.

FLOUR—Superfine, $4 50 @ bbl; Standard, $5 00; bbls; Extra, $5 50; Superfine, $6 00; Commercial, $6; Bay ton, extra $5 00; do superfine, $4 00@4 50; Oregon mills, $5 00. Good country brands, $4@4 50; Obam [illegible] $5 00; [illegible] $5 00; Milne & Co Brooklyn Mills, $5 00; [illegible] $5 00

GRAIN—Oats [illegible] $2@2 50 ₱ box

HAY—$20 [illegible] Oregon, $16@21½; Java, $27; Japan, [illegible]; Java, 40; Chestnut, 80; Wama, 120.

HOPS—Prime to choice Apples, in bulk 3½, in kegs 6cts; [illegible] new 12 cts.

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HOPS—Prime to choice [illegible]

LARD—Oregon 10 beans [illegible]; in bulk [illegible]

LUMBER—[illegible] packed in boxes, [illegible] rough layers in boxes, $4 50; [illegible] boxes $4 75; ¼ boxes $5 00; Currents, ¼ [illegible] Figs, [illegible] Prunes, [illegible] Dates, [illegible] Young's, do, $28; Salmon, [illegible] Hunter's 100 ₱ lb; Rabbits, Air Oysters, [illegible] $3 50; Mackerel in bbls, $15 @ $17; Shad, No. 1, 4 00; [illegible] in thirds, $20@23.

NAILS—Cut, [illegible] $5 25 @ keg; Fine Finish, [illegible] $5 50; Latch, [illegible] $6 50; Boat Spikes, $8 50

OILS—Kerosene Oil—Downer's 75c @ gal; Devoe's 75; Pratt's Brother's, [illegible] 70; Lard Oil, 90@1 25; Sperm Oil, [illegible] Winter Strained, 1 [illegible]; China Nut Oil, $1 25, Polar Oil, 50c; Paraffine Oil, [illegible] & Coleman's, [illegible] Tanner's Oil, 80c; Neatsfoot Oil, [illegible] Linseed Oil, Raw, Castor Oil, $2 75, [illegible] Boiled, [illegible] raw, $1 40.

POWDER—Rifle, [illegible] $5 25 @ keg; 65c for ½ Canisters; Rifle, in 25 lb kegs, $8 00; Sporting, in 25 lb cans $8 50 @ keg; [illegible] Duck, 1 and 5 per keg, $4 50; Rifle, in ½ cans, $5 per keg; [illegible] 1 lb cans for ¼ lb cans; Orient, 65c for ½ lb cans, do per ¼ keg, $9 50; Blasting, in keg of 25 lbs $3 75. Double tape fuse per M ft, $18 00; Single tape fuse per M ft $13 50.

ROPE—Per lb, Manilla, [illegible] American, [illegible] Yellow, [illegible] Golden C., hf bbls, 14½@14¾; Powdered, [illegible] in bbls, 10½ in half bbls [illegible]

SOAP—Oregon brands, [illegible] Colgate, 11¾c; Castile, 12c; Cal brands, [illegible]

STARCH—Kingsford's, 10c; Silver Gloss, 10c; Pearl, 8½c; Corn, 8½c.

SUGAR—Crushed, [illegible] Powdered, [illegible] Granulated, [illegible] Golden C, hf bbls, 14½@14¾; Powdered, [illegible] in bbls, 10½ in half bbls [illegible]

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Dry Goods and Woolen Market

PORTLAND, Dec. 25 1869

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS.—*Blankets* Oregon gray No. 1 $9 50; No 2 $8 50; No 3 do $4 25 do white No 1 extra $12; No 1 $8 50; do No 2 $7 50; do No 3, blue $5 50; do No 2 $7 50; Vicuna, No. 1 $11 No 2, $8, 3 4 White flannel $1 10@1 25; 4-4 White do 75c @ 1 White do. 87½@95. Plain assorted colors flannel 40@45c; Fancy Twilled shirting do, 60@85c Grey Mixed Shirting 60@70; Mixed tweeds 90c Grey Doeskin $1 00 Fancy do $1 10; Grab mixed Beaver 87½c; Fancy Cassimeres $1 00@1 40; Tweeds, 70@85c Vicuna $1@1 20

COTTON GOODS.—*Sheetings*—Standard 12½@14½c; Drills, 11½c light 12½@12½c Standard drills 14c Shirting—Bleached muslins 12½@22c bleached 3, 4 to 4 11@13c. *Denims* 13@22c Ticks 17 stripes 19@ 20c *Prints*—Fancy 11c; Merrimac, 11c Delaines 15 Turkey red 25@30c 30 inch 18@23c Lindsay 24@28c 10-4 bleach 50 Oakland heavy sheeting, 28c ₱ yard 30 inch sheeting 12½@13½c ₱ yard

Domestic Produce Market

PORTLAND Dec — 1869

Apples green ₱ b — 25 a 31
Apples dried ₱ lb — 4 @ 6
Wheat new white ₱ bushel — 60@65
Red ₱ bushel — 5
Oats ₱ bushel — 4 50
Corn meal W W ₱ 100 lbs — 4 00
Corn ₱ 100 lbs — 4 00
Ground Feed ₱ ton — 20 00@
Peaches dried ₱ lb — 14
Bacon ₱ lb — 14
Hams — 18
Shoulders — 12½
Lard in tins — 14@15
Lard in kegs — 13
Eggs ₱ doz — 30@35
Butter — 40@45
Chickens ₱ doz — 3 50@4 00
Ducks ₱ doz — 4 00@5 00
Geese ₱ lb — 12½@15
Turkeys ₱ lb — 20
Potatoes ₱ bush — 1 50@3 00
Onions ₱ bush — 1 00@2 00
Beets ₱ bush — 1 00@1 50
Turnips ₱ bush — 1 00@1 50
Carrots ₱ bush — 1 00@1 50
Parsnips ₱ bush — 1 00@1 50
Cabbage ₱ doz — 50@1 00
Cauliflower ₱ doz — 1 00@1 50
Onions ₱ lb — 3
Turnips ₱ lb — 3
Potatoes ₱ bushel — 60@75
Cabbage, ₱ doz — 50@1 00
Cauliflower doz — 1 00@1 50
Onions ₱ lb — 3
Turnips ₱ lb — 3
Parsnips ₱ lb — 3c
Celery ₱ doz — 1 00@1 50

Cattle and Live Stock Market

PORTLAND Dec 25 1869

CATTLE—Best cattle $6 50@7 00 ₱ cwt net
SHEEP—Good mutton sheep $2 00@2 50 ₱ head
PORK—6c@6½ ₱ lb
VEAL CALVES—Spring 8½@8c ₱ lb

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Port Discovery, Port Ludlow, Port Townsend

King
Black River, Seattle, Slaughter, White River

Kitsap.
Blakely, Port Madison, Port Williams, Port Orchard, Seabeck, Teekalet.

Lewis.
Boisfort, Chehalis, Claquato, Grand Prairie

Mason.
Arcadia, Kamilche, Oakland, Skokomish, Shorewood's Mills.

Pierce
Franklin, Steilacoom, Tacoma

Pacific
Bruceport, Fort Willapa, Oysterville, Unity

Shamania
Cascades

Snohomish
Mukilteo, Snohomish, Tulalip

Stevens.
Fort Colville, Spokane Bridge.

Thurston
Beaver, Coal Bank, Grand Mound, Miami Prairie, Olympia, Sand Bar, Prairie, Skookum chuck, Tumwater, Yelm

Wahkiakum
Cathlamet

Walla Walla
Delta, Tukanon, Touchet, Walla Walla, Wallula.

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School Taxes.

TAX PAYERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT the Assessment Roll of the City of Portland for the year 1869 has been completed and placed in my hands for collection, and that I will be at my office in the Block formerly occupied by the Bank of British Columbia, on Front street, between Washington and Stark streets, from the 1st day of January, 1870, to the 1st day of February, 1870, for the purpose of receiving taxes assessed on said Roll.

All taxes remaining unpaid after the 1st day of February, 1870, will be delivered to the Sheriff for collection.

Dated at Portland, Oregon, this 23d day of December, 1869.

KENNETH McKENZIE,
City Treasurer.

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R. PITTOCK,
NO. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,
Opposite Lower Stone Ship Landing
and Corner First and Morrison Streets
Wholesale and Retail manufacturer of

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CRACKERS,

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CIRCULAR SAWS of every size and pattern for Mill Muley Gang Block and Band Saws filed and set together with a good assortment of Saw Mill Cast Steel

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6	Cholera-Morbus, Vomiting
7	Coughs, Colds Bronchitis
8	Neuralgia, Toothache Faceache
9	Headache, Sick Headache Vertigo
10	Dyspepsia, Bilious Stomach
11	Suppressed or Painful Periods
12	Whites, too profuse Periods
13	Croup, Cough, Difficult Breathing
14	Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Eruptions
15	Rheumatism, Rheumatic pains
16	Fever & Ague, Chill Fever Ague
17	Piles, blind or bleeding
18	Ophthalmy and sore or weak Eyes
19	Catarrh, acute or chronic Influenza
20	Whooping Cough, violent cough
21	Asthma, oppressed Breathing
22	Ear Discharges, impaired hearing
23	Scrofula, or lagged glands, swelling
24	General Debility physical weakness
25	Dropsy and scanty secretions
26	Sea-Sickness sickness from riding
27	Kidney-Disease Gravel
28	Nervous Debility Seminal Emissions, involuntary Discharges
29	Sore Mouth Canker
30	Urinary Weakness wetting bed
31	Painful Periods, with spasms
32	Sufferings at change of life
33	Erysipelas Spasms St. Vitus Dance
34	Diphtheria, ulcerated sore throat

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Of 35 to 70 large vials, morocco or rosewood case, containing a specific for every ordinary disease a family is subject to, and books of directions ... From $10 to $35

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THOMAS LETT STAHLSCHMIDT

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

WHARF STREET,

VICTORIA, B. C

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Oregon. In Bankruptcy. To all persons interested in the matter of Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt, bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of November A D 1869 a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt of Victoria in the county of Victoria and Province of British Columbia, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition; that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a court of bankruptcy to be holden at my office in Portland in said District on the 8th day of December A D 1869 at 10 o'clock A M of that day.

THOMAS N. STRONG,
U S Marshal as Messenger

By JAMES D. HOLMES, Deputy.

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE'S APPOINTMENT.—In Bankruptcy. In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt, bankrupt.

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